

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION IN AN APPLICATION (Use several sheets if necessary)					ATTY. DOCKET NO. 0475-0204P		APPLICATION NO. 10/049,665	
					APPLICANT Sybille FRANK et al.			
					FILING DATE April 11, 2002		GROUP 1731	
<b>U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS</b>								
EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	Kind	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE	
	US							
	US							
	US							
	US							
	US							
	US							
	US							
	US							
	US							
	US							
<b>FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS</b>								
Office	DOCUMENT NUMBER	Kind	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUB CLASS	TRANSLATION	
							YES	NO
CL	JP	A	1995-03-14	JAPAN			ABS	
CL	JP	A	1994-03-22	JAPAN			ABS	
<b>OTHER DOCUMENTS</b> (Include Name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.) date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.)								
EXAMINER					DATE CONSIDERED			
					8/8/05			
EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with M.P.E.P. 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.								

**EXAMINER:** Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with H.P.E.P. 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO (modified)

Application Number

10/049665

Filing Date

August 16, 2000

First Named Inventor

Frank, Sybille

Art Unit

1731

Examiner Name

Frank, Sybille

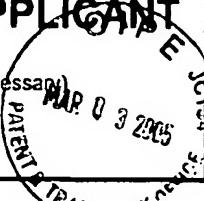
Attorney Case Number

59203US009

# INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(Use as many sheets as necessary)

Page 1 of 1



## U.S. Patent Documents

Exam. Init.*	Cite No.	Document Number	Publication Date or Issue Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		Doc. Number-(Kind Code if Known)			
C1	A1	US- 5910273	6-8-99	Thiel et al.	
	A2	US-			
	A3	US-			
	A4	US-			
	A5	US-			
	A6	US-			
	A7	US-			
	A8	US-			
	A9	US-			
	A10	US-			
	A11	US-			

## Foreign Patent Documents

Exam. Init.*	Cite No.	Foreign Patent Document		Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	Translation (Check if yes)
		Ctry. Code	Number-KindCode (if known)				
C1	B1	JP	06-078935	3.22.1994			English Abstract
C2	B2	EP	0 599 187 A1	11.17.1993			English Abstract and English Equivalent US5910273

## OTHER DOCUMENTS

Exam. Init.*	Cite No.	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published	Translation (Check if yes)
	C1		
	C2		
	C3		

\*Examiner:

Date Considered:

8/8/05

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.